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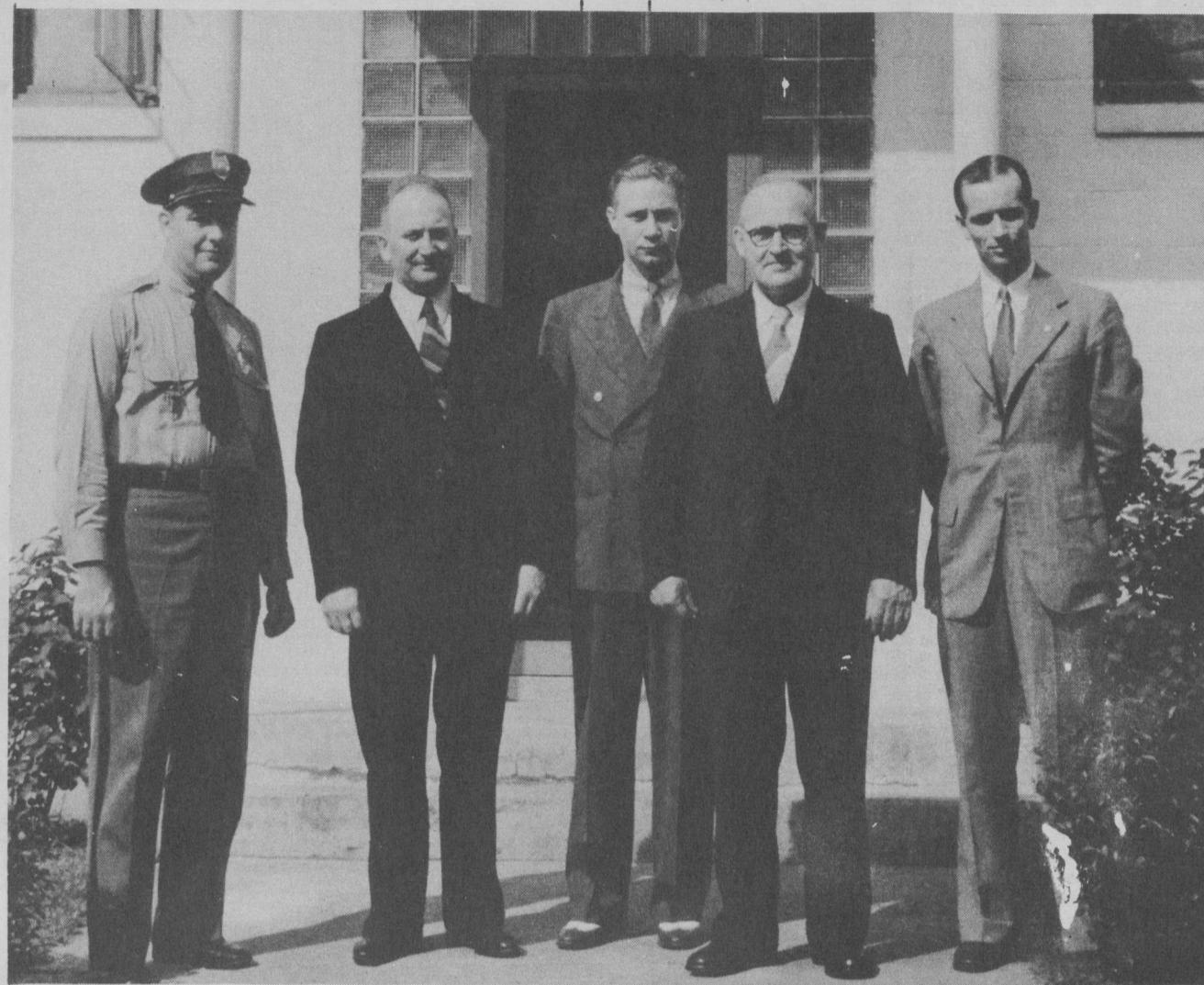
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GREENBELT, MARYLAND

FIVE CENTS

New Zealand Minister Visits Town Of Tomorrow



Town Fair Will Be Held On Aug. 28, 29, & 30

August 28, 29 and 30 are the dates set for Greenbelt's Third Annual Town Fair. Work was started on this year's show at a public meeting of organizational representatives last Friday night with the election of Harry W. Rhodes as chairman of the planning committee.

At a second meeting of representatives of all Greenbelt organizations, scheduled for Monday night, July 21, in the Town Council chamber, Mr. Rhodes expects to see plans well under way for a month of intensive effort by every resident so that this 1941 Town Fair can maintain the high level set in the two previous years.

Members of the planning committee are, in addition to Chairman Rhodes, Francis Fosnight, Les Sanders, C.J. Van Camp, and C.R. Van Leuven. These five are charged with the responsibility and direction of the entire three-day community event. Special committee chairmen selected by the general planning committee to supervise specific work in connection with the Fair's success are:

Don Kern, space; Bernard Jones, finance; L.M. Pittman, decorations; Donald H. Cooper, publicity; Rolfe Sauls, entertainment; Thomas R. Freeman, reception; J.G. Brown, contests and exhibits; and Lyman Woodman, program.

More than twenty organizations have already filed requests for exhibit space with Mr. Kern, and others are expected at Monday night's open meeting. Suggestions which met with general approval at last week's session included the new housing expansion as the theme for the Fair, and greatly enlarged needlework and homecraft exhibits. Further proposals and volunteers for work on the several committees are being requested.

RYSTICKEN BRADEN'S ASSISTANT

Community Manager Roy Braden announces the appointment of a new Senior Administrative Assistant, Arthur L. Rysticken who will succeed to the duties of Wallace F. Mabee who resigned some time ago.

Mr. Rysticken comes very well prepared to assume his new duties. He is a graduate of Marquette University College of Business Administration and also the College of Law and was admitted to the Bar in 1935 in the state of Wisconsin. Mr. Rysticken was the assistant City Attorney for Milwaukee, Wisconsin, from 1939 to 1941, and in that capacity was assigned to trial work; he also acted as legal advisor to the Chief of Police, Commission of Public Health, and the Commission of Public Works. Since January, 1941 he has been acting as Executive Secretary to the Congressman from the Fourth District of Wisconsin, Mr. Thad Washilewski.

Greenbelt played host to a distinguished visitor last Saturday when Mr. Frank Langstone, Minister of the New Zealand government accompanied by Mr. Turner and Mr. Johnson, members of his department, toured "the town of tomorrow." The party was brought here on a tour of American housing by Howard L. White of the U.S. Housing Authority.

Mr. Langstone expressed amazement at the development of Greenbelt, its Co-op stores and all its community functions. He was shown around by Town Manager Braden and Officer Attick. At the close of his unexpected visit Mr. Langstone declared "This is the finest housing I've ever seen."

The visit of this distinguished party from New Zealand is of particular interest to friends of housing and Co-op enthusiasts since that country is famous as a stronghold of the Cooperative movement and is noted as having the second best housing in the world, Sweden holding first place.

Volunteers Asked In Drive For Air Observation Corps

The American Legion unit at Greenbelt is sponsoring a recruiting drive for volunteers to join the Greenbelt Observation Corps as part of the National Defense program. Dr. James W. McCarl, Commander of the Greenbelt American Legion Post, is the organizing officer and George Panagoulis, Safety Director, is in charge of selecting the personnel.

500,000 civilians are to be enrolled as volunteer observers to constitute a nation-wide force of minutemen to cooperate with the Army Air Forces in warning of the approach of enemy aircraft.

To obtain information of air threats, to provide protection of home areas, to warn of approaching enemy air-craft, to enforce blackouts and radio broadcasting which might guide enemy planes to their targets - is all part of this gigantic plan of civilian air raid defense. This method of aircraft warning has been tested in the New York-New England area (January 21-24) and found to be successful. It is now in full use in European countries already at war.

Believing that the proverbial ounce of protection is worth more than a pound of cure the American Legion is cooperating with other national agencies to establish observation posts throughout the country.

Volunteers interested in this home defense plan are asked to see Mr. George Panagoulis. All such men must be in good physical health and must possess keen eyesight and hearing abilities. Temporary headquarters for the Greenbelt Observation Post, has been established at the Fire-House. Join now and help this organization plan the local program for Greenbelt. In periods of stress these "minute-men" will prove to be a timely as well as necessary body of our civilian defense.

COUNCIL HAS BUSY EVENING-LAWS-FOOD

Two watery suggestions opened the meeting this Monday nite. One was a suggestion that the residents be permitted to swim at the lake and the other protesting the use of chlorine around the pool decks which has already caused the bleaching of several bathing suits. The first suggestion voted down unanimously. It was pointed out that the bleaching solution placed around the pool might have blown around to other places eventually resulting in faded suits. The town Manager will receive claims for restitution on suits so damaged.

A resolution calling for added school facilities to accommodate the added number of people who will move into Greenbelt with the completion of the new homes was presented to the Prince Georges County School Board and, they, in turn are petitioning the Federal Works Agency for the necessary appropriation.

A resolution was passed requesting the Federal Government for funds for the erection of a community recreation center and a larger hospital with a capacity of 35-40 beds plus all necessary equipment to go with both projects. The need for both is obvious with the influx of about 3000 more residents in the near future.

The Town Fair will be held this year from Aug. 28 through Aug. 30. The planning committee comprised of Council members plus citizens has already been formed to insure the success of Greenbelt's third annual Fair.

The library is getting more books benevolently furnished by Prince Georges Educational Committee—but the Greenbelt Library hasn't anywhere to put them. The library was authorized to buy the necessary book stacks. The town will erect iron gates inside the entrance to the school to keep marauders and prowlers out of the rest of the building while the library is open evenings.

Men in uniform will be admitted to the pool for 20¢ plus tax instead of the 35¢ rate and tax charged to non-resident civilians.



The Council Inspecting Fire Alarm System.

Monday night the Council, including the Mayor and Community Manager attended a celebration given by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Police and Fire departments in the newly redecorated and reorganized Fire house.

The members of the Administration and the Council were amazed at the craftsmanship of our local boys who gave of their spare time and energy to perform this huge task at a great savings to the administration and town budget. The highlight of the celebration came during the serving of refreshments when the fire alarm sounded announcing a fire call at Southway and Ridge Road. The lads, including your reporter, hopped the wagon and proceeded to the scene. Arriving at the call box it was discovered that the alarm was caused by a short in the wiring system.

The Boys returned to finish the eats and the celebration.

VANDALS SLASH MOVIE SEATS

Greenbelt Consumer Services is again having difficulty with vandals who are slashing the upholstery of seats in the theater. It has become a regular occurrence to find seats that have been cut.

Efforts are being made to catch whoever is committing these destructive acts. If and when caught, they will be held for legal action appropriate for such a crime.

The theater has always had some trouble with "seat slashers", but recently it has become so much worse that the management is more than ever concerned over these acts of destructiveness and is going to make every effort to catch the offenders and hold them fully accountable.

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ANY OLD POTS---?

The Defense Program, to most of us, is just something we read about each day in our metropolitan papers or the reason for the sudden or gradual increase in the prices of our every day needs. Of course there are those of us who work each day in some branch of the Defense Program, who feel the rumblings of the wheels, but to the majority of us it is just something...

Starting next week, that "something" will be brought right home to us—in fact it will be laid right on our back door steps. We the people of Greenbelt are being asked to give our spare and worn out aluminum objects to our Government for use in the National Defense Program. The need is great and the time is short. We won't go into the reasons for our great Government's plight in the matter of the shortage of this vital metal. We only hope that the "trusts and combines" responsible for this deplorable situation will be broken up and put out of business due to public pressure and opinion in the matter.

Greenbelt, as a town, isn't very large as towns go, but large or small, we can do our part. We must do our part. If you multiply Greenbelt by the number of towns of its size in the country it can be seen that, each if they do their part, can produce more aluminum than all the large cities put together.

More details of the plans will be given you by further notices in the Cooperator as well as by other means. Therefore, we cannot urge too strongly that you dig down, even to taking back that pie pan you so generously gave baby when he preferred it to the expensive little plastic, and contribute until it hurts when the call goes out.

Letters to Editor

To the Editor,

Here is another example of honesty being its own reward. On Wednesday afternoon, a clerk of the food store accidentally wrapped a considerable sum of money in a shopper's bag. When this housewife returned home she found the money in her package and immediately returned to the store to find several clerks in a turmoil over the loss. When she offered the money she was rewarded with a sharp answer, a dirty look and not so much as a thank you. What gratitude!

A Reader

VOORHIS TO MAKE RADIO APPEAL FOR YOUTH MOVEMENT

Congressman Jerry Voorhis will make a nationwide appeal to the young men and women of America to join a national crusade to solve their problems—without government help—through the cooperative movement. His appeal will be made in a radio talk, "Young Man, Young Woman—You're Hired", which will be broadcast over a coast-to-coast network of the National Broadcasting Company, Saturday, July 19. The broadcast will originate in Washington at 4:45 Eastern Standard Time and will be carried on the Red Network of NBC.

Congressman Voorhis is author of the recent book, "The Morale of Democracy", which is devoted entirely to the role of the consumer cooperative movement in strengthening and implementing democracy. He has made two addresses in Congress on the cooperatives within the past eight months and was the chief speaker at the Annual Meeting of the Eastern Cooperative Wholesale.

Young men and women are particularly urged to listen.

FIRST SCOUT HIKE IS ALL WET

Twelve Boy Scouts and leaders of Troop 252 enjoyed the troop's first overnight hike last weekend—that is, they enjoyed it until the season's worst rainstorm sent them home thoroughly drenched. The boys had walked with their food and equipment to the Greenbelt camp area about four miles south of here Saturday. Their enthusiasm withstood the light showers of Saturday evening and Sunday morning, but the deluge that started about noon on Sunday was just too much, so they broke camp earlier than planned.

Scoutmaster H. "Chick" Turner reports that with hot baths and dry clothes on reaching home the boys were already planning to try it again later this month—without the rainstorm (they hope).

CO-OP PLANS NEXT MEETING

Plans for the semi-annual meeting of the membership of Greenbelt Consumer Services are now being made by the board of directors. The meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 6, in accordance with the by-laws of the cooperative.

One of the important items to be acted upon by the membership is an election of directors. The terms of four board members are expiring and it will be necessary for the membership to fill these positions for the ensuing year.

Elections for board members are held twice each year. Five are chosen at the annual meeting in February, and four at the meeting in August. Such a procedure was intended to keep experienced members on the board at all times.

Mrs. Carnie Harper, G. Edward Timmons, Dr. George Treiman, and Denzil Wood are the directors whose terms will expire with the August meeting. Mrs. Harper is vice president; Mr. Timmons is chairman of the price-checking committee; Dr. Treiman is assistant chairman of the membership committee; and Mr. Wood is chairman of the management committee.

Mr. Timmons was appointed a director last March to fill the unexpired term of Lindsey Thomas who left Greenbelt. The other three were elected by the membership last August.

The five directors who were elected last February and whose terms will not expire until the annual meeting in February, 1942 are President Walter R. Volckhausen; Treasurer Lloyd B. MacEwen; Secretary Charles E. Fitch; Mrs. Ella G. Roller, chairman of the education committee; and Howard C. Custer, chairman pro tempore of the membership committee.

Notice of the meeting, the agenda, minutes, and nomination forms will be mailed to members about July 26. In order to vote at the meeting, a person must have one share fully paid for by July 21, according to the by-laws.

If this share is in a joint account, either husband or wife may vote it. Both will have a vote if two A (voting) shares have been paid in full, either in a joint account or in separate accounts.

BAND PARENTS ELECT NEW OFFICERS

The Parents Board of the Greenbelt Band met on Friday, July 11, to read the financial report for the past fiscal year and to elect new officers.

The officers elected were as follows:

President -	Hartford S. Downs
Vice President -	W. Ray Nicodemus
Secretary -	Mrs. E. Pywell
Treasurer -	Mrs. Alice Freeman
Historian -	Mrs. Mary Jane Kinzer

Plans for the new feeder band were discussed. A definite announcement will be made regarding this in the near future.

The Parents Board made a special effort to extend a vote of thanks to the following persons: Allen Morrison, John Kiels, Lloyd Nelson, Harry Rhodes, Charles Bradley, Dr. James McCarl, Abraham Chasanow, and Mr. Braden for their splendid efforts and cooperation in making the July 4th picnic an outstanding success.

Dr. Still Exonerated In Auto Death

The Coroners Inquest following Joe Still's recent accident exonerated him of any blame in connection with the death of John Cress, government worker, who met his death while bicycling to work last Wednesday a week ago. The witnesses agreed that the accident was unavoidable.

Dr. Still, former Greenbelt physician, now an army doctor at Fort Belvoir was driving south along the double laned Mt. Vernon memorial boulevard when the accident occurred at about 8:20. Another automobile to his right prevented his seeing Mr. Cress when the latter suddenly cut across traffic to make a left turn. His resultant collision with Dr. Still's car made a deep dent in the front right fender and smashed the headlight.

Dr. Still administered first aid in the 20 minutes or so before the ambulance arrived, but Mr. Cress's skull had been fractured and he died at the hospital two hours later.

Co-op Sales Top 1940 By \$25,000

Total sales made by Greenbelt Consumer Services during the first six months of 1941 have exceeded last year's sales for the corresponding period by more than \$25,000, it was reported last week. Sales this year amounted to \$205,125 and last year at the same time a total of \$179,495 worth of goods and services had been sold.

In 1940, total sales amounted to about \$376,000. For 1941, G.C.S. budgeted a \$400,000 business—\$100,000 per quarter, \$200,000 for the January-June, 1941 period. So far this year, actual sales have even exceeded budgeted sales by \$5,125, although the budgeted amount is about \$20,000 more than last year's actual sales.

The drug and variety stores, which must still be treated together from a sales point of view, it was stated, showed the largest increase over last year—\$12,686. Sales at the service station were \$10,720 more, and the theater was third with an increase of \$5,010. All other stores, except the food store, showed increases. The decrease in the food store was \$5,067.

Angler Gets Biggest Fish

And A Ducking



Donald Herwick went swimming in the Greenbelt Lake last Sunday and got away with it. Just in case you're interested here's how he did it.

Donald went fishing. It was a muggy morning and the sky was overcast. Donald carefully set his fishing stuff in the bottom of the boat and shoved off for a nice quiet and deep spot, which only he knew.

For one hour and thirty-six minutes he patiently waited. The cork on his line floated on the clear water, a few ducks undisturbed alighted nearby and watched with interest. Insects were becoming troublesome. Donald shifted on his hard wooden seat, wiggled his line, inspected his hook and looked at the sky. The fish weren't biting today.

Presently a few drops of rain fell and the lonely fisherman muttered some unholy remarks about the piscatorial species and the weather. Donald reeled in, let his oars into the water and began to row back. The cork bobbed up and down as the end of his line trailed the boat.

Suddenly there was a noise like the buzzing of a bumble bee; that familiar noise which causes the fisherman's heart to leap with joy. Donald seized the fishing pole and his hand expertly felt for the reel handle. But the delicate mechanism didn't respond and the line kept going further out. The fisherman experienced a mixed feeling of consternation and delight. He knew that feeling. It meant a big one, maybe even three or four pounds. But his line was a light one.

The reel stop flew around like a top, striking Donald's thumb which slowly and firmly pressed against it in an effort to slow down the racing tackle. In a few moments the reel stopped turning and the pressure shifted to the thin fishing pole causing it to bend into a U-shape. The fight was on.

Bracing his legs against the stern of his boat, Donald began to reel in. The job was slow, difficult and back breaking. His fishing rod felt like a hairpin suspending an elephant. He knew it couldn't stand up under the strain, but he never once thought of giving up his catch. He grunted with each twirl of his wrist and progress seemed to come in fractions of an inch. Then his rod snapped in two and he tumbled back in his boat like a circus clown.

Why he did it is not clear but in four seconds Donald found himself in the water grasping the other end of the broken line.

In ten minutes he pulled in the largest bass ever caught in Greenbelt's Lake. Weight 5 pounds 7 ounces.

That's how Donald Herwick got away with swimming in the Lake. Frankly we don't recommend this system.

FOOD STORE HOURS REVISED WITH CHANGE IN PAY-DAYS

Now that some of the Government departments have rearranged their pay-days, so that there is a pay-day each week, the food store is planning to revise its schedule of hours in order to more nearly conform to new demands.

The store will be open every Wednesday afternoon that a pay-day falls on Tuesday or Wednesday. Because this happens so frequently, it is planned to close the store at 6:30 on weekdays. The store now closes at 7 o'clock.

If such a closing time interferes with the shopping of any Greenbelt resident, it is requested that they contact General Manager George E. Hodson or Food Store Manager Lionel C. Patrick at their earliest opportunity.

Unless there is substantial objection, it is now planned that the new hours for the food store will go into effect around August 1. The management wishes to know, before making definite arrangements, whether this closing time will seriously interfere with anybody's shopping.

OUR NEIGHBORS

by Patty Beebe

Hello Greenbelt:

Jean Day is visiting her mother, Mrs. Carl Day at 3-D Crescent for 3 weeks. Jean, as you know is a Student Nurse at Garfield Hospital and getting along fine we hear. - Herbert Davenport of Chicago is visiting his brother and sister-in-law Mr. & Mrs. Edward Davenport of 33-C Ridge for about two weeks. - Mrs. Mary Birch of Brooklyn, N.Y. is visiting her daughter and son-in-law Mr. & Mrs. Norman Perlson of 44-D Crescent for a two weeks stay.

Vacationing Greenbelters are the Abe Chasanows of 11-T Ridge who left Tuesday afternoon to spend two weeks in Atlantic City, N.J. They were autoed there by Mrs. Sam Perchick of 2-D Ridge who then went on to Philadelphia to visit her family. - The "Chick" Turners of 2-K Ridge left Wednesday morn for Roanoke, Va. to visit "his" family and then they'll on to Southern Ohio to visit "her" family. - Walter Curtis of 20-A Crescent has just returned from a week's vacation at Virginia Beach and is trying to get back to that old routine after that salt-water-sojourn. - Mrs. R. P. Dahnke of 2-C Parkway is visiting her parents at Sandusky, Ohio. She will remain there a month. - Miss Gloria Scott of Memphis, Tenn. returned to her home after a two weeks visit with her aunt 'n uncle, Mr. & Mrs. Jack Allen of 21-P Ridge. - Uriel Benjamin who is the brother of the Kelvin Benjamins of 21-A Ridge has written THE song that is absolutely tops in Great Britain today. It is "Thumbs Up." The reception it is getting in this country points to No.1 on the Hit Parade in no time at all. Kate Smith and Gertrude Lawrence have given it a star spot on their programs very recently and the sheet music on it is going fast. Uriel lives in New York and gets to Greenbelt once in awhile.

Paul M. Dunbar enlisted in Army Air Corps last week and left Wednesday, July 9 for the Officers' Training School at Jefferson Barracks, Mo., where he will pursue the course for Radio Technicians. If at the conclusion of 13 mos. training his work is satisfactory he will receive a commission. Paul is 22.

To show Florence McGoldrick how much she will be missed when she and Macleave permanently for Boston this week, Adelaide Kaighn and Ann Marton gave her a farewell bridge last Friday evening. The guests including Mesdames Taylor, Wofsey, Cross, Cook, Bowman Scott, Temple, McNamara and Wright, surprised Florence with a shower of lovely handkerchiefs at the end of the evening. On the next nite another party was given at the McGoldrick home which was also a surprise to them. Twenty-six of their neighbors and friends helped the celebration.

Louis H. Geirsch of 21-W Ridge has been appointed to the Washington Police force on July 16, 1941. He was formerly employed at the Government Printing Office. Good luck, Louis. There'll be plenty to keep you on your toes in the current all high crime wave sweeping over Washington in her new defense dress.

A cheer up note for Mrs. Lillian Schwartz of 5B Eastway who is in the Greenbelt Hospital for treatment. She is getting along very nicely and we hope she continues to do so. She's being missed around.

GREENBELT'S NEW BABIES

Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Hintz of 3 Forestway announce the birth of a baby boy born June 18, 1941 at Georgetown hospital. He weighed 7 lbs. 11 ozs. at birth and was named Stephen.

The Flanagan's of Berwyn Heights, Md., are proud parents of a bouncing baby boy, William, who weighed in at 6 lbs. 10 ozs. He was born July 8, 1941, at the Greenbelt Hospital.

Local Scouts Win New Rank At Review

Second class rank was attained by three Boy Scouts of Troop 252 at the Court of Review held last week in the new building at the Greenbelt Scout Camp. The new second class Scouts are Marvin Perchick, Paul Runion and Robert Pfarr.

This Court of Review was for all of Prince Georges County and was the first official function at the new Scout building since its dedication last month.

When you are telephoning, please wait at least 10 ringing signals before hanging up. This means only a minute's waiting, and may mean the difference between getting or not getting your party.

The C. & P. Telephone Company of Baltimore City
(Bell System)

F.T.C. To Probe Price Chiselers Higher Prices Term "Loot"

By John Carson

Washington, D. C. (CLNS) - Here are profiteering charges taken from one delivery of mail. "Prices of the upper grades and specialties of West Coast lumber have reached unreasonable levels and a price ceiling is being drafted," Leon Henderson announced today. "Price advances of from \$8 to \$15 per 1000 board feet have taken place.

"Since last October crude cottonseed oil at southern mills has risen from about 4.4¢ to 11.5¢ under the influence, it is believed, of a substantial amount of speculative activity," Leon Henderson said. "Producers have benefitted only to a limited extent and consumers should not associate these speculative high prices with returns to farmers. It is the speculator who has been walking out with the loot."

Immediate investigation of the prices, costs and profits in the furniture industry is to be undertaken by the Federal Trade Commission at the request of Leon Henderson, as a result of the action by certain groups in raising prices 5% following receipt of a letter requesting that they make no further changes in their prices without prior consultation.

And then the story of the inevitable result of price fixing by government - the chiseler appears as follows:

Subterfuges and devices employed by a few unscrupulous members of the trade to evade ceiling price schedules, especially in the scrap and secondary aluminum and zinc trades, were exposed by Leon Henderson today.

HYATTSVILLE'S MAN APPOINTED RED CROSS OFFICIAL

Mr. H. Clay Whiteford, prominent in civic and business affairs, will head the 25th annual membership enrollment in September as Roll Call Chairman for Prince Georges County American Red Cross according to an announcement by Mr. John R. Fletcher, Red Cross Chairman. Interested in County activities, Mr. Whiteford, a resident of Hyattsville and manager of the Suburban Gas Company in that city, has just completed a successful year as President of the Chamber of Commerce and is an outstanding member of the Rotary Club. With Mr. Whiteford to head the Roll Call committee and the continued response of the county people as evidenced by their offers to serve in all Red Cross work, the Chapter expects to meet and surpass its increased membership goal. Further committee members and plans for the campaign will be announced in the near future.

MISS ARCHER, H. S. PRINCIPAL, IS POPULAR WITH STUDENTS

Miss Louise Archer, new Greenbelt High School Principal, is a charter member of the teaching staff, having served on it ever since the High School opened four years ago. She specializes in Mathematics, but has also taught both French and English. Her popularity with the student body is attested to by her having served as Faculty Advisor of the Journalistic Club and the Year Book. She was also Senior Class Advisor for this year's graduating class.

Miss Archer took her normal school training at Marshall College in Huntington, West Virginia and taught in Wayne, West Virginia for two years before coming here. She is a graduate of Wadleigh High School in New York, the oldest girls' High School in the city.

"It was very strict and conservative - nothing at all like the Greenbelt High School!" laughed Miss Archer.

At present Miss Archer is studying towards a Master's degree in Mathematics at the University of Maryland. The new principal has no idea how many students to expect in the fall. The past enrollment has been 250 although the accommodations were planned for only 200.

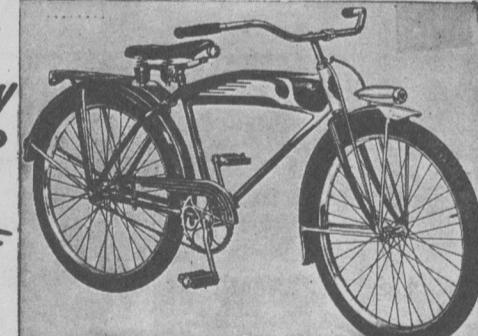
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Meditations

by
Robert Lee Kincheloe
Minister to the
Greenbelt Community Church

Have you ever heard or read a prayer that went straight home, that clicked? Here is one that will ring the gong with many of us:

"Dear Father, it is not the sins of the flesh we most deplore, nor even those of malicious intent and sinister motive, bad as they are. Our most maddening spiritual defeats somehow seem to come not so much from these readily recognized faults. They derive from our fatal inability to keep our balance.

"Thou knowest, O God, how prone we are to rush impetuously into some extreme attitude or action. And worst of all, we are generally proud of our easy excess, for it looks so decisive and definite, so dashing and daring, and it makes us feel efficient and free from the bother of deliberation.

"Forgive us, Father, for indulging in such self-deception, such easy over-simplification, such ready refusal to wrestle realistically with the difficult complexity of life.

"And save us, we pray Thee, from losing our heads when irritated or antagonized. Restrain us from exaggeration or extreme statement when being worsted in argument or debate. Thwart our tendency to rant and bluster when uncertain of our position, or in danger of defeat. Since all extremes are bad, let none lure us to self-defeat or to the undermining of the righteous cause we fain would advance. Empower us with poise.

"And yet, O God, never allow us to mistake compromise for balance, expediency for poise or cowardice for self-control. Enable us, rather, to see the truth so clearly that we may achieve great convictions, express them persuasively and patiently, and accept the consequences of our faith in them unfalteringly and without fear.

"Thus, dear Father, we may more closely follow the example of Thy Son, our Saviour, who was forceful without being fanatical, earnest and efficient without being offensive or officious, decisive without being discourteous, persistent without being pestiferous, and victorious without being violent.

"In His name we pray our prayer. Amen."

Henry H. Crane

COMMUNITY CHURCH NEWS

There will be a meeting of the Survey Committee of the Church in the Home Ec. Room Sunday evening, 8:00.

On July the 20th at the 11:00 Sunday worship service will be held the summer Communion. All members and friends of the Church are urged to be present.

There are some people whose desire to worship God in fellowship with other Christians the summer heat has not affected. Why aren't there more?

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

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Suppliers to your Food Store

19 Arrested During Month Of June

Safety Director Panagoulis reports that during the month of June there were nineteen arrests. The charges were speeding, reckless driving, ignoring stop signs, parking, tampering with automobiles, and disobeying the shorts ordinance.

Twenty-eight traffic warnings were also issued. There were five accidents, injuring eight persons, one of them seriously. Stolen property valued at \$165.05 was recovered and returned to the owners, and thirty-two complaints were investigated and accorded proper attention.

Special services consisted of disposing of dogs and cats, providing keys for tenants, locating lost children, helping motorists in distress, and guiding visitors.

One brush fire—at Schrom's Airport—was extinguished.

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